

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of: Heim, et al.

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. A request to extend the time for reply for one (1) month, from October 16 to November 16, is submitted concurrently herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 6 of this paper.